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COURT NOTES

Judge Wood of Mt. Gilead, who heard the matter of the exceptions to the account of Harry C. Swetland, executor of Phebe Thompson, deceased, has handed down a lengthy written opinion, a copy of which was received by Clerk C. C. Leiter of the Knox county common pleas court Friday morning.

The case was appealed from the probate court of Knox county to the common pleas court and was heard by Judge Wood of Mt. Gilead several weeks ago.

In the probate court of Knox county exceptions were filed to the final account of Harry C. Swetland, as executor of Phebe Thompson. The record shows that H. C. Swetland and C. E. Miles were appointed executors of the late Phebe Thompson and that both qualified. Later, Miles was removed for failure to file an account. The record shows that Swetland filed his second and final account and that exceptions were filed to this account.

The first matter reviewed by Judge Wood was the distribution of the \$15,000 by the executors. Of this sum, \$5,000 went to Miles and \$10,000 to the Swetlands. A number of exceptions were taken in the probate court to the distribution of this sum. The probate court sustained these exceptions. Judge Wood in his opinion overruled these exceptions.

Exception No. 8 was relative to the executor's note in the sum of \$500. This exception was sustained by Judge Wood.

Exception No. 14 related to the distribution of the sum of \$1,000. This exception was sustained.

Exception No. 18 related to the \$1,000 compensation charged by the executor. In the probate court this exception was sustained. Judge Wood overrules this exception in his written opinion, holding that Swetland collected rents, paid taxes and insurance and in other ways looked after the real estate for more than seven years, and the court considers that he gave valuable assistance to the estate and that his compensation was not exorbitant.

Action for Money—

The Mt. Vernon Home Building Co. on Friday filed suit in the common pleas court of Knox county against Hugo Petterson, seeking a judgment in the sum of \$3900. Plaintiff alleges that the defendant purchased a house and lot from the defendant, paying down the sum of \$1,000. The real estate is located in Grandview addition, according to the petition. The allegation is made that the defendant refuses to pay the balance on the purchase price of the property. The plaintiff says it is ready to deliver up a deed and that the keys to the house were turned over to the defendant on March 22, 1921. The plaintiff therefore asks for a judgment in the sum of \$3900, the balance alleged to be due on the property. W. J. Sperry is

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the attorney for the plaintiff.

Gorsuch Estate—
 J. Gordon Bone has been appointed administrator of Mary A. Gorsuch by the probate court of Knox county. Bond \$1,000, with F. F. Gorsuch and Blanche McCalla as sureties. The appraisers are J. H. Bone, Eli Cline and Ural Hays.

Appointment Made—
 C. M. Layton has been appointed trustee of Ruth and Frances Layton by the probate court of Knox county. Bond \$500, with Fred A. Bishop and Glenn Baker as sureties.

Inspection Tour—
 The county commissioners and County Surveyor Van Voorhis inspected the roads in Hilliar and Wayne townships Friday. The trip was made by automobile.

Three executions were issued out of the office of the Knox county clerk of courts on Friday.

In the case of Eva B. Levering vs. Homer B. Levering an execution was issued in the sum of \$250, alleged to be alimony due the plaintiff granted by an order of the common pleas court at the May term.

In the case of the U. S. Oil Co. vs. Bud Boner an execution was issued for \$175.75. This case comes into common pleas court on transcript from the court of John Kanaga, a justice of the peace in Wayne township.

The third transcript issued was in the case of the People's Bank of Gambler vs. W. G. Royer. This action was based on a cognovit note and the amount of the execution was \$303. Two executions were issued in this case—one to the sheriff of Knox county and one to the sheriff of Wayne county.

Præcepti Filed—
 In the case of Jerome Bird vs. Hoy Bird, a præcepti for witnesses has been filed in the common pleas court of Knox county.

Sale Bill Filed—
 Hugh S. Campbell, executor of Anna M. Buckingham, has filed a sale bill in the probate court of Knox county, showing personal property sold to the amount of \$491.75.

Inventory Filed—
 Lewis Queen, administrator of Theodore C. Carr, has filed an inventory and appraisal in the probate court of Knox county. It shows the following: Personal property \$20, money \$15, real estate \$1206. Total \$1235.

Files Inventory—
 B. E. Sapp, administrator of Carl Pahl, has filed an inventory and appraisal in the probate court of Knox county. It shows the following: Personal property \$83, money \$749.04.

Marriage License—
 Sperry T. Vannatta, farmer, Miller township, and Lucile E. Chrisman, school teacher, Miller township. Rev. C. J. Bowen.

Petition Filed—
 In the estate of Carl Pahl, a petition to sell personal property has been filed in the probate court of Knox county.

Real Estate Transfers—
 Ellnor S. Curtis to Sherman L. Anderson, parcel in city, \$1.
 Lewis F. West to Leah Irma Chase, parcel in Mt. Vernon, \$1.
 J. P. Dodd to William Nelderhouse, parcel in Danville, \$1.
 J. J. Mottler to C. L. Lucas, parcel in Academia, \$1.
 Forrest M. Shellenbarger to Nellie M. Jenkins, lot in Elmwood, \$1.

JUG RUN

Rev. J. H. Proper of New Castle will fill his appointment at Perry Chapel Sunday morning and evening, Nov. 6. Everett Bucy has purchased a new Ford touring car.

A representative of the Frye Oil Co. was in this vicinity Monday.

Mrs. Rosa Holbrook and little son Carl are spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Hinehart.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Melick and daughter Wilma, of Dennis, spent last Sunday with Vinton Melick and family.

Oxley & Slaacks sale was well attended Thursday afternoon.

The oil business has begun to boom again. A stake has been driven on Archie Little's farm, near here.

Miss Marie Mercer spent Wednesday night with Miss Florence Davidson.

Rev. Proper is attending Denison university at Granville.

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COMMUNICATION

AS TO BOARD OF EDUCATION

Mt. Vernon, O., Nov. 2, 1921.
 Editor The Banner,
 Mt. Vernon, O.

Dear Sir:
 Believing that but a few of the voters are aware of the fact that there is to be three members of the county board of education to be elected by popular vote this fall, we would be glad to have you print the following:
 At the coming November election three members of the Knox county board of education will be elected by popular vote under a new law passed by the last General Assembly. Heretofore members of the county board have been selected by the presidents of the various local boards of education of the county school district. Doubtless most of our citizens knew whom the present members are and what sections of the county they represent, but for those who may not know the present members and the sections from which they come they are given below:

Dr. J. F. Shrontz, Martinsburg.
 Jasper VanHorn, Centerburg.
 F. B. Levering, Fredericktown.
 J. R. Drake, Howard township.
 Theodore McMillan, Clinton township.

On observing the location of the above members one will readily see that they are fairly well distributed over the county. It seems that a county board should be composed, other things being equal, of members from the various sections of the county.

The men whose places will be filled next Tuesday at the general election are Messrs. Shrontz, Van Horn and Levering. Below are given the names and locations of the candidates for election this fall:

Harry Bair, Clinton township.
 Daniel Chase, Clinton township.
 Thos. Smith, Clinton township.
 Dr. J. F. Shrontz, Martinsburg.
 D. D. Johnson, Pike township.
 J. W. Ransom, Liberty township.
 The names of the candidates will appear on an independent ticket and each voter will be expected to vote for three of the above mentioned candidates.

Wishing to thank you for publishing the same, I beg to remain,
 J. W. RANSOM.

EMMETT J. FISHER IS CALLED BY DEATH

Mr. William J. Dennis received word last evening of the death of his brother-in-law, Emmett J. Fisher, which occurred Thursday evening at 6:30 at his home in Canton, Ohio. His death was due to a stroke of paralysis. The deceased was a brother of the late Mrs. Dennis.

The funeral services will occur on Monday morning at 10 o'clock and burial will be made at Wooster. Mr. Dennis and son, Mr. John C. Dennis, will leave Sunday to attend the funeral.

DANVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Conkle of Shreve are visiting relatives here. Royal Robeson, a student at O. S. U., spent Saturday here with his mother.

Joseph and Harley Sapp motored to Columbus Thursday to transact business.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shaw and daughter motored to Orrville Friday to spend the week-end with relatives. Mr. Samuel McKnight of Barboursburg was a business visitor here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miller of Columbus spent Saturday and Sunday here with relatives.

D. B. H. S. won from Londonville Friday 13 to 7.

The fall exhibit held at the school Friday drew a large crowd. The students had a good display of everything.

William Grassbaugh, who has been confined to his home with typhoid fever, is able to be about again.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Thacher of Columbus spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Mickle.

Miss Marie Magers of Mt. Vernon is visiting her grandparents here.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Breckler Sunday evening.

J. V. Cochran is a business visitor at Peoria, Ill.

Miss Mary Sapp was a Newark visitor Sunday evening.

A good crowd from here attended the dance at Greer Saturday night.

Herb Barnes was a Mansfield visitor Saturday evening.

W. H. Baker and Don Church were Columbus visitors Sunday.

J. C. Hall is a business visitor at Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint McDonald of Cayahoga Falls were guests of relatives here and at Jelloway over Sunday.

KNOX CO. NEWS

The Mt. Vernon high-New Philadelphia high football game will be one of the attractions for Armistice Day in Mt. Vernon, according to announcement made late Thursday afternoon by Supt. of Schools A. W. Elliott. The game was originally scheduled for Saturday, November 12, but the game has been advanced one day to Friday, November 11. The game will be played at Athletic park at 3 o'clock. A great contest is expected.

Plans are being made by County Superintendent J. C. Marriott for a meeting of all superintendents, principals and teachers of High schools in the county, outside of Mt. Vernon, for a conference to be held in Mt. Vernon on Thursday, Nov. 17. A representative of the state department of education will attend this conference and will discuss with the teachers the subject of High school standards.

The meeting will be held in the community room of the Knox county Savings Bank.

COLUMBUS, Nov. 4.—I. H. Davis of Mt. Vernon, a Sophomore in the college of arts, has been chosen as Knox county representative on the committee of 88, composed of one student from each county in Ohio at Ohio State university.

Davis will co-operate with alumni at Ohio State in Knox county in arranging for the celebration locally of Ohio State day on Nov. 25. He will also organize and lead a team in the campus campaign just getting under way to raise among new students additional pledges totaling \$75,000 to the Ohio stadium fund. The quota for Knox county is \$450.

Responding to the stimulation of increased prices for oil and optimistic of still further increases operators in the oil field east of Mt. Vernon are increasing their activities.

Reports indicate that the well being drilled on the Julia McKee farm may come in at any time now barring any bad luck in drilling.

Denbow & Winland have set stakes for two more wells on the John McKee farm. They are moving a Big National rig from the G. W. Miller farm to drill No. 4 on the John McKee farm.

Thomas Kern is moving a rig on the W. P. Bebout farm.

The Everetts of Newark have moved a rig on the Ollie McKee farm.

Two new locations have been made on the Luther Layman farm.

The Mansfield Oil Co. has started a well on the W. P. Green farm.

The Banner newsboys' eleven went to Gambler Saturday morning, playing with the Gambler boys, whom they defeated by a score of 25 to 0.

Accounts brought back to Mt. Vernon say that the Gambler boys had in their team at least three players much larger and heavier than the Banner boys. However, that did not embarrass the newbies at all, for they went into action on the principle of "the bigger they are the harder they fall."

The score indicates that the Mt. Vernon boys must have put up a rather classy article of football, despite being opposed by a heavier team.

A blow-out of a tire on the automobile that was to have brought them back from Gambler somewhat embarrassed the Mt. Vernon team temporarily, but through the kindness and accommodation of automobilists coming toward Mt. Vernon they managed to get home in time to get belated lunches and to report in time to carry their routes.

Monsieur Jean Laduree of Chalon-Sur-Saone, France, was a visitor in Mt. Vernon Friday afternoon, coming here to see the plant of the Chapman Engineering Co. Monsieur Laduree is chief engineer of the St. Gobain Glass Works, large glass manufacturers of France, and is in the United States on a four months' business trip, visiting firms in this country with whom his company does business.

The Chapman Engineering Co. installed its first gas producer in France for the St. Gobain glass works, the work being done under the supervision of Mr. Albert Culbertson of this city.

Monsieur Laduree left Friday night for Pittsburgh, Pa.

Committees from the Dan C. Stone Jr. post, American Legion, the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Legion and from the Chamber of Commerce met Friday evening at the C. of C. rooms and completed details for the Armistice Day celebration in Mt. Vernon on Friday, November 11.

Owing to the fact that the day has been declared a national holiday by President Harding it is expected that practically all business will be suspended in the city, so that everyone can join in the celebration.

The parade will form at 10 o'clock in the morning, moving shortly after that hour through the downtown

streets. The Knights of Pythias band will head the parade. The G. A. R. drum corps will also be given a place in the parade. Veterans of the Civil, Spanish-American and World War will take part in the parade, as well as many of the fraternal and patriotic orders and societies of the city. It is expected that the parade will be one of the big features of the day.

At the conclusion of the parade a mass meeting will be held on the public square as near the noon hour as possible. The principle address will be delivered by Mr. Hugh K. Martin of Columbus, former state commander of the American Legion. It is expected that other short addresses will be made by various citizens.

At 3 o'clock in the afternoon the big football game occurs between Mt. Vernon high school and New Philadelphia high school. Other events are also being scheduled for the afternoon.

In the evening there will be dancing on West Gambier street and "Twin Beds" will be presented by a strong company at the high school auditorium.

Other details are being worked out by the committees and the complete program for the day will be announced early the coming week.

There was a large attendance of Master Masons at the annual communication of Mt. Zion lodge No. 9, F. & A. M., held Friday evening at 7:30 at the Masonic temple.

Much business of importance was transacted and officers were elected for the coming year. Plans were outlined for the year's work and candidates who received the Master Mason degree during the year were examined.

Following are the officers elected: Worshipful Master—Harold H. McIntire.

Senior Warden—Martin H. Whitman.

Junior Warden—Walter L. Grubb.

Treasurer—L. T. Cromley.

Secretary—L. E. Rawlinson.

Senior Deacon—Ralph G. Jenkins.

Junior Deacon—Clyde G. Church.

Tyler—Oscar G. Swanson, P. M.

Trustees—Masonic Temple Co.—James W. Jones, P. M., C. C. Iams, P. M., and William R. Hookway.

The incoming worshipful master appointed the following officers and committees: Chaplain—Rev. Donald Wonders.

Senior Steward—Thomas B. Hall.

Junior Steward—H. D. Service.

Relief committee—L. E. Rawlinson, A. F. Stauffer and Joel Levy.

The officers, with the exception of Rev. Mr. Wonders and Martin H. Whitman, who were not present, were installed by Oscar G. Swanson, retiring master, assisted by Past Master George Dick as grand marshal.

A number of visitors were present at the communication, including a number from the surrounding villages of Knox county.

President Harding on Friday sent to the senate for confirmation the appointment of Horace B. Ramey as postmaster at Centerburg. O. Ramey is appointed to succeed Glenn Baker. Democrat, who was considered one of the most efficient postmasters Centerburg has ever had. Ramey is a Republican.

Records made by members of the Mt. Vernon Rifle & Revolver club at their weekly competition shoot on Friday evening were notable for the fact that six of the seven men shooting made scores better than 190.

The competition was further exceptional in that, save one instance, those shooting over 190 were separated from one another by but one point.

McMillen was the high man shooting a total of 198 or three points better than the score made by his nearest competitor, Pipes, who is credited with 195. Following Pipes Russell was one point lower, with 194; Sevels was one point below Russell with 193, with Quidor following another point lower with 192, and C. VanVoorhis a point below Quidor with 191.

Jackson made the low score of the evening, 142. This is explained by that he has not been shooting regularly and has been coming to the club shoots so infrequently that he is quite out of practice.

The following is the report of Dr. I. S. Workman, Mt. Vernon's health commissioner, of the causes and number of deaths in this city during the month of October:

Lobar pneumonia—1.
 Bronchial pneumonia—11.
 Chronic bronchitis, not tubercular—1.

Cancer of stomach—1.
 Apoplexy—1.
 Nephritis—1.

Exhaustion, following cystitis—1.

WALKER IMPROVING

Word from Columbus today stated that Deputy Sheriff Walker is recovering nicely from a minor operation in a Columbus hospital and will be able to return home next week.

Society Notes

Miller-Griffin

Wedding Occurs

Mr. Leroy C. Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Miller of West Gambier street and Miss Josephine Griffin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cal Griffin of Marion, Ind., were united in marriage Wednesday, Sept. 28, at the bride's home in Marion, according to the announcement made today.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller will make their home on South Mulberry street, Mr. Miller being employed by the American Railway Express Co. in this city.

Community Club

Elected Officers

The Community club of Brandon met Friday evening in the I. O. O. F. hall at that place. Over 125 persons were present for the evening and enjoyed the musical program presented by the American Legion Glee club of this city. An interesting talk in regard to the soldiers' adjusted compensation measure was made by Mr. Edmund Budd.

During the evening the club elected the following officers for the coming year:

President—Earl Weaver.

Vice President—Robert Baxter.

Secretary—Jesse Shufelt.

Treasurer—Pearl Thompson.

Vanatta-Chrisman

Wedding

Mr. Sperry Vanatta, well known farmer of Miller township and Miss Lucile E. Chrisman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chrisman of Brandon, were united in marriage at 5:00 o'clock Friday afternoon at the home of Rev. C. J. Bowen, pastor of the Baptist church in Granville.

The bride is engaged as a teacher of the Miller township school in Brandon, and will continue her work for the remainder of the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Vanatta will reside on a farm near Brandon.

MISSING

John W. Egan, farmer, has been missing from his home at Villa Nova, Pa., since Monday afternoon, Oct. 17. He left home to go to Quakertown, Pa., to make certain farm purchases and has not been seen since.

Mr. Egan is 40 years of age; married; is five feet 10½ inches tall; weighs 150 pounds; has dark brown hair; short worn teeth; hazel blue eyes; wore a dark gray suit with service ribbon in coat lapel, and a brown felt hat when last seen.

He is an ex-soldier, having served with the Canadian army during the war, and is a Canadian subject.

Will anyone seeing a man of the above description kindly advise his home at Villa Nova, Pa., either by letter, telephone, or telegraph. Telephone number, Bryn Mawr, 890-W.

BIRTHS

A daughter was born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Devore of Morgan township.

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GREER

Oscar Marshall, wife and daughter Ruth, took dinner with A. H. McClurg and family and attended church here. Miss Faye Fulmer, a teacher in the Mt. Vernon schools, visited over Sunday with her parents, C. G. Fulmer and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blakely and son of Jelloway spent Sunday with F. P. Shrimplin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McPhillan and children of Loudonville were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Temple.

The first number of the lecture course Liberty Bells was given Tuesday night, and was well attended considering the bad weather. The next number will be given Nov. 19th.

Mrs. Simpson of Buckeye City is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Simpson. Miss Bessie Greer has been on the sick list for the past few days. Miss Nissa Greer has been teaching in her place.

Mr. Sol Shultz and son Owen of Akron visited over Sunday with friends here.

Edwin Beatty who has been spending the past two months in western states arrived home Saturday evening.

For the common everyday ills of mankind there is nothing to equal Tanlac. Taugher's drug store. *8

FREDERICKTOWN WON

The Fredericktown high school football team defeated the Centerburg high school team Friday afternoon by the overwhelming score of 46 to 0. A large crowd witnessed the contest.

Yes
 it's toasted, of course. To seal in the flavor—



Ache?
 When you're suffering from headache, backache, tooth